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| Takahiko MURATA, et al. | : | Confirmation Number: 8016 |
| Application No.: 10/759,570 | : | Group Art Unit: 2622 |
| Filed: January 20, 2004 | : | Examiner: Albert H. CUTLER |

For: SOLID STATE IMAGING APPARATUS, METHOD FOR DRIVING THE SAME AND
CAMERA USING THE SAME

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 9, 2009, wherein a three-month shortened statutory period for response expires March 9, 2010, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks. A Request for Continued Examination is being filed concurrently herewith.

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